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BROAD STREET

By Harley M. Leete, Jr.

Since the Boss and I have both been writing columns under the heading of Thinking Out Loud, Faithul Readers have occasionally become confused as to who was writing what, and why. HEAVY THINKERS will pick up their copy of the NEVADA CITY NUGGET and begin reading Thinking Out Loud, expecting to find an eloquent disquisition upon the iniquities of the Democratic Party, only to find the column filled (by this writer) with trivia that scarcely justifies the name of Think either aloud or silently.

Such CONFUSION is all a thing of the past, more or less, because now this writer's trivia, small talk, gossip, et all will be plainly labeled wtih the above title, BROAD STREET.

BROAD STREET was chosen for the title not only because it is the main artery of our pleasant community, but because it is, in a sense, representative of the sort of material one can expect to find in this column. A good deal happens on Broad Street that is of great interest to our community, but very little of world-shaking importance. And that is exactly what it is planned to include here—items of interest but very little of world-shaking importance.

WE expect to record comings and going, up and downs ,and bright sayings of local lights. The changing colors of the maples and poplars of Nevada Street will not pass unnoticed, nor will vignettes of the local political arena, nor the more or less eccentric doings of more or less public characters. BROAD STREET, as a newspaper column, will endeavor to be polite and tread lightly, not stepping on our neighbors toes, but it will not be overfull of swetness and light. When we see something not right which we believe should be called to our reader's notice, into the column it will go, and let the chips fall where they will.

In other words our BROAD STREET will not start at the Catholic Cemetery and end at the Plaza, but will be bounded only by the interests of the Editor and Readers of the Nugget. THE BOSS will carry on with THINKING OUT LOUD when the spirit moves him, which, fortunately for FAITHFUL READER, is pretty often.

WHAT WILL OUR COMPETITORS BE UP TO NEXT DEPARTMENT: One of them is getting out a city directory. WE thought of this a long time ago, but were too busy to get under way. Congrats to them for actually DOING it. Another competitor is busy as a hive of bees getting a photo-engraving plant into operation. Why do our competitors have to be so ON THE BALL? Why don't they just sit back and go to seed and let us take over? File that query under COMPETITION IS THE LIFE OF TRADE.

Speaking of competition, here's a note that's been trying to get into my column for months. WALK DO NOT RUN, item—here you are now. Alpha Hardware Company has a FREE KNIFE SHARPENING SERVICE. Before you run down to the Alpha, knife in hand, or before I file this under THINGS WE DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT OUR OWN TOWN, leave me explain. What the service furnishes is the stone and the oil. You furnish the knife and the ELBOW GREASE. If you don't believe me, go on down and look, stubborn, and you'll not only find the free knife sharpening service right there on the counter, but you'll find the stone plenty wavy from years of service.

DOGS: Reverend Angus Miller, Rector of the Trinity Episcopal Church reports that since the Nugget printed the report of the Chamber of Commerce meeting where Rev. Miller complained about wild dgos, his lawn and chicken project have been uninfested with the roaming packs of hounds. A quick survey of our growing subscription file informs me that while only a few of the more educated dogs read the NEVADA CITY NUGGET, a goodly number of their owners do.

NEWSPAPERMAN'S MOTTO: We love our subscribers and admire our advertisers.

FUNERAL SERVICE HELD FOR MELIO SOLARO

A large group of sorrowing friends and relatives numbering scores, gathered in St. Canice Catholic Church and at the graveside yesterday afternoon to pay their last tribute to the memory of Melio Solaro, who lost his life last Monday evening. The fire department of which he was a member, the city council and city officials, were present to show honor to the memory of a young man who had won respect, for his kindness and integrity, of an unusually large number of his fellow citizens.

Pall bearers were Donald Macari, Leslie Orzalli, John Sbaffi, Daniel Crawford, Herbert Hallett and Nick Sandow.

An autopsy performed by Dr. B. W. Hummelt Monday evening upon the body of Melio Solaro, killed while riding horseback on the Lower Grass Valley road Sunday evening, revealed that he died as a result of a crushed chest presumably caused by a truck running over him.

Solaro riding with a party of seven others had fallen behind the group. William Chappel, truck driver, passing at the moment stated had noted Solaro was seated on his horse as he came abreast of him, but as he drove on he felt a bump, as though his rear wheels had hit something. He stopped and with the members of the horseback party found Solaro in the road unconscious. A Holmes ambulance was summoned. When Solaro arrived at the hospital he was pronounced dead. Several members of the party thought that Solaro had either dismounted and was attempting to mount again or had been thrown from his horse. The autopsy established the cause of death as due to the truck. It is believed his horse threw him under the wheels.

Funeral services under direction of Holmes Funeral Home were held yesterday afternoon in St. Canice Catholic Church. The service was conducted by Rev. Virgil Gabrielli. Interment was in the Catholic Cemetery.

Surviving are the decedent's mother Mrs. Teresa Solaro, his wife, Mary, his daughter Teresa, 12, and his son Melio Jr. 10, and three brothers, Max, James and Philip.

Coroner Alvah Hooper states an inquest will be held in the near future.

JURY HEARS EVIDENCE IN CHAPMAN TRIAL

The trial of Robert V. Chapman before a jury in the Superior Court, charged with driving while drunk, and injury to persons, was continued last evening until today.

Both prosecution, conducted by District Attorney H. Ward Sheldon and defense, in charge of Attorney James Snell, rested before adjournment last evening. Witnesses for the prosecution were Mrs. Mildred Yocum, Mrs. Edwin Epperson and Loris Richards, highway patrolman. These witnesses testified that the defendant was drunk at the time of the collision on the Auburn-Grass Valley highway, March 10th. Witnesses called by the defense included Bert Burns, Hershel Chance, Ralph Brown, Howard Folck, and Kenneth F. Foster. Most of the witnesses were of the opinion that the defendant was not drunk.

HUTCHINGS PAYS $15.00

A fine of $15.00 was levied against Frank E. Hutchings of Grass Valley by city judge Charles Morehouse following his plea to guilty to a charge of appearing intoxicated ni a public place, which was brought by city officers.

KNOWLAND SEEKS FREE PRESS FOR PEACEFUL WORLD

SAN DIEGO, Sept. 17 — "There will be no permanent world wide peace until there is a free press and a free access to information everywhere."

U. S. Senator William F. Knowland, now campaigning in Southern California voiced that opinion here yesterday as he commended the state's newspapers for their public service in helping to create an enlightened citizenship—"the first essential in the maintenance of democracy."

U. S. Senator Wm. F. Knowland

"One of the requirements that we should make of each nation, which we aid, is free access to information" Knowland declared. "There is no sense to our shoving supplies behind the iron curtain for other nations to use in building up totalitarian authority and anti democratic ideologies.

"Marshal Tito would not be able to keep 750,000 men under arms in a country of only 14,000,000 people if it were not for American aid. The United States loaned Tito's nation $32,000,000 in lend lease and through UNRR, Yugoslavia has already received or is scheduled to receive $429,500,000 worth of machinery and food. Most of these UNRR supplies have already been delivered free of shipping charges to the Yugoslavs.

"Yet Tito has kept secret from his people the source of this aid. There is no free press in Yugoslavia or in other communist dominated countries.

"One of the first acts of Hitler in his rise to power was suppression of the press. The communists in this country would like nothing better than to stop every press—except that of the Peoples Daily World. They would like to suppress every story but those praising Stalin or the communistic way of life.

"But let me warn you, any person or group who tries to take away the freedom of the press is an enemy of free institutions and of world pace."

MISS BETTY PRESLEY TAKES SHASTA POST

Miss Betty Presley, daughter of Mrs. Elsie Presley of Nevada City, and well known Nevada City resident, has accepted the position of Welfare Director of Shasta County. it is announced by the Shasta County Board of Supervisors.

Miss Presley was formerly connected with welfare work in Nevada County, but more recently has been with the State Department. She is deemed well qualified for her new position and has strated her new duties. Her office will be located in the county headquarters in Redding.

I. O. O. F. LADIES NIGHT

Members of Esther Lodge of Grass Valley were special guests last evening at the ladies night for the local Odd Fellows Lodge as well as wives of local and visiting Odd Fellows.

Pins were presented to past officers and to several of the older members of the Grass Valley Odd Fellows Lodge.

BOTH POSSESSED VENISON BUT FINE VARIED

James Kistle of Nevada City and Robert Kistle of Grass Valley arrested by Game Warden Earl Hiscox and charged with possession of venison, Tuesday pleaded guilty.

James Kistle appearing in Nevada township court was fined $60 by Justice of the Peace George Gildersleeve. Robert Kistle pleading guilty before Justice of the Peace Charles A. Morehouse in Grass Valley township, was fined $150 or which $50 was suspended.

ELTON WILLIAMS HEADS HOWSER COMMITTEE

Elton F. Williams of Grass Valley and Doug Barrett of Truckee, have been named co-chairmen of the Nevada County Committee to elect Fred Howser attorney general. The appointment of the two was announced today by Hartley F. Peart of the Northern California Committee, Fred Howser for attorney general.

Williams is with the Alpha Hardware Company of Grass Valley. He served five years in the army and is a veteran of World War II. Barrett is one of the best known businessmen in Nevada County being publisher of the Sierra Sun in Truckee.

"Fred Howser holds the confidence of all businessmen." declared Williams in accepting the co-chairmanship. "His record of economy in government is outstanding. In the state legislature he saved the tax payers of California many millions of dollars. In his own office he not only reduced operating expenses but won the approval of the US Department of Commerce as having the most efficient office of its kind in the entire United States. I think this speaks for itself. I know that he will take this same service with him into the office of the attorney general."

"Fred Howser's fairness toward all persons, his integrity and his ability have commended him to the voters every time he has run for office" said Barrett' "Three times he was elected to office in the primaries and missed repeating for this highest state law enforcement office by the narrowest margin last June. That shows what the people of California, Republican and Democrat, think of him. They believe in his record, which is unimpeachable. It is a record of service to all classes. He pledges that he will operate the office of attorney general in a nonpartisan, non-political manner. Hence the many endorsements he has received from the leaders and groups in all walks of life."

MUSIC MANAGER TO ADDRESS ROTARY CLUB

David Ferguson, Pacific Coast Manager for the Columbia Concert Association, will address the Rotary Club today at its regular luncheon meeting. Ferguson addressed the high school student body Wednesday at 11:15 a. m. His topic is the concert series sponsored this season by the Twin Cities Concert Association.

Grand Officers Initiate Class Of Native Sons

Eight grand officers of the Native Sons of the Golden West on Wednesday evening conducted ceremony of inducting a large class of Nevada City and Grass Valley candidates into the order at the meeting of Hydraulic Parlor in this city.

The grand officers were headed by Grand President R. G. Power and Grand Secretary John T. Rogan. Quartz Parlor of Grass Valley is joining in the event which will take place in the Euks Home.

NAMED DISTRICT DEPUTY

Ponemah Council No. 6 D. of P. received word that Mrs. Johanna Personeni has been appointed district deputy for the coming year.

RED CROSS PLANS DOWNTOWN OFFICE

OPA Announces Restaurant Rollback

Restaurants were rolled back today to their June 30 price ceilings for meals and indviidual food items which have meat as the major ingredients the OPA announced.

The rollback on these specific offerings becomes automatically effective today with the exception of a temporary action in effect from Sept. 9 to Sept. 16, freezing restaurants ceiling on meat meals and on individual meat items at prices in effect during the week ending Aug. 31.

Under a rule in effect since June 13 restaurants could calculate their ceilings for meals and individual items with meat as the major ingredient at the cost of the raw food plus their current margin.

This rule continues to apply to restaurant meals and dishes where the major ingredients is still suspended or exempted from price control, such as fish, poultry and dairy products.

Woman Takes Overdose Of Mercury Tablets

Mrs. Patricia Clapp of 216 East Main Street of Grass Valley is in the county hospital in Nevada City sufering from an overdose of mercury tablets, according to her own story, taken while in a despondent mood. She was removed to the hospital by ambulance last evening at 7 o'clock.

Her husband Graham Clapp, a carpenter, resides at the Holbrooke Hotel. Mrs. Clapp's condition was reported good this morning but the effects of mercury tablets, hospital authorities stated, require several days to be fully evident.

An emetic was administered Mrs. Clapp shortly after she had taken the poison and she was rushed to the Nevada County Hospital. Her husband, Graham Clapp resides at the Holbrooke Hotel in Grass Valley.

CASSIDY GUEST OF HONOR AT ALPHA PARTY

Fred F. Cassidy, prominent Nevada City merchant and head of the Alpha stores Ltd., sine 1906, was honored last night at the Deer Creek Inn by the employees of the Nevada City Store with a dinner and social evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Cassidy were the honored guests, with the highlight of the affair being the presentation of a beautiful "Memory Book" to Ms. Cassidy in which all of the employees wrote a message to their "boss" and showed their affection for his leadership over this long period of years.

The book was presented by C. R. Murchie, for many years a Nevada City store manager of the Alpha. On the inside of the Memory Book is inscribed "Presented to Fred F. Cassidy by the Nevada City Store" and is signed by the following employees of the Nevada City Store:

C. R. Mprchie, Richard Polglase, Robert Hawkins, Elmer Durbin, Courtland Wright, Harry Fields, Alfred Fontana, Fred E. Fontana, Virginia Ghidotti, Therese Colombo, Esther Kaupilla and Amy Davies.

Mr. Cassidy responded thanking the employees for their thoughtfulness and thanking them for their many years of faithful service to him. Remarks were also made by other employees of the company in which they thanked Mr. Cassidy for the many years of kindness and attention he has always given his employees.

PATIENT AT MINERS

George A. Baldwin, 137 West Ridge Road, Grass Valley is confined to the Miners Hospital with an eye injury. Baldwin was hurt recently while at work at the Empire mine.

At a recent meeting of the Nevada City Chapter of the American Red Cross, the board of directors was reorganized and new members were added.

New officers are: Robert Tamblyn, general chairman, who replaces Leland Smith, Mrs. Louise Noyes, junior Red Cross chairman, Robert Payne, drive chairman, Mrs. D. S. Bonebrake, home service chairman, and executive secretary, Harley M. Leete, Jr., publicity chairman.

Other members o the board who continue are: Mrs. George Calanan, Mrs. Fred F. Cassidy, William Tamblyn, Jr., Benjamin Hall, R. J. Bennetts, Horace Curnow, P. G. Scadden, Emmett Gallagher and Superior Court Judge George L. Jones. Mrs. Richard Goyne is acting Secretary.

The local chapter now has downtown offices in the City Judge's office at the City Hall. Hours are 1:30 to 4:30 p. m. Mrs. D. S. Bonebrake, Executive Secretary, will be on duty during those hours.

Next meeting is 8 p. m. October 2nd, at the City Hall.

STOLEN TAXI FOUND ATOP SPENCEVILLE MT.

Game Warden Hiscox is just naturally curious about car tracks in unusual places and while patrolling Camp Beale on the lookout for spotlight deer hunters he ran across the tracks of a car that was apparently pointing straight up Spenceville Mountain.

Hiscox followed his hunch and the car tracks and discovered the Ford taxi stolen Sunday morning from in front of the Holbrooke Hotel on Main Street in Grass Valley. The car had been driven to the top of the mountain and was partially concealed by brush.

The car windows were rolled up and the keys were hidden above the sun visor. The Grass Valley Taxi Company and the provost marshal of Camp Beale were notified.

SANTA CRUZ FLIGHT TO VISIT N. C. AIRPORT

A flight of 10 planes from the Santa Cruz County Airmen's Association is scheduled to arrive at Nevada City Municipal Airport between 10 and 11 Sunday morning, according to a letter received by Tom Bowles. The flight will include between 15 to 20 pilots and passengers.

A possible delay may occur if the Santa Cruz air enthusiasts meet with early morning low fog at Santa Cruz, in which case they may delay their projected 8 a. m. time of departure.

Lieut. Dennis Muldoon Weds Miss Lee Davies

Lieut. Dennis Muldoon and Miss Lee Davies of Texarkana, Texas, were married in Cumberland, Md., September 5th. Friends and relatives received the announcements a day or two ago.

Lieut. Muldoon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Muldoon of 212 Richardson Street, Grass Valley. He entered the army in December, 1943, as a private and following courses in army schools was promoted to second lieutenant. He and his bride are now living in Hempsted, New York and he is a radar officer at Mitchell Field nearby.

His bride was discharged from the navy last month where she served two years as a nurse.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Thompson-Beinghurst—In Nevada City, Nevada County, September 16, 1946 Samuel Harold Thompson 22, Nevada City and Geraldine Binghurst 19, of Toquerville, Utah.

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Veterans' News

Nearly 170,000 persons receiving disability and death compensation or pnesion payments through the Veterans Administration in California, Arizona and Nevada, will see a 20 per cent increase in their checks October 1.

This in general includes all World War I and II veterans or their dependents receiving payments and most recipients from the Spanish American War.

Veterans disabled in peace time service also are entitled to an increase under a separate provssion which becomes effective October 1, anad will be reflected in checks mailed November 1.

Under the new rate a person who has been receiving $11.50 a month will get $13.80, and one who got $115 will receive $138. A widow of a World War I or II veteran who died as a result of war service will receive $60 a month instead of $50.

Q: Does the 20 per cent increase in compensation apply to statutory awards and other special awards and allowances?

A: Yes.

Q: Does the new increase in compensation apply to subsistence payments to veterans attending school?

A. No.

Q: How long do I have to take advantage of free education under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act?

A: Four years from the official end of the war when that is declared.

Q: Wha tis meant by the term "service aggravated disability"?

A. A service aggravated disability is a disabling condition resulting from an injury or disease existing prior to service, which was made worse during the veterans militray or naval service.

Q: Can I obtain a real estate loan to purchase a farm and it is guaranteed by VA, may I also obtain a VA guarantee on a loan to purchase machinery, livestock, seed and other farm equipment?

A. Yes, you may obtain a combination of real estate and non-real estate loans. However, the percentage of the guarantee maximum used by a veteran in obtaining on type of loan reduces by that percentage his entitlements to a guarantee of another type loan. For example if a veteran obtained a farm real estate loan guarantee of $2000 his non-real estate guarantee maximum would be $1000.

Desert turtle lives a hundred years.

Drivers who cut out of line persistently remarks the Department of Motor Vehicles, may expect soon to have widows who cut out obituary notices.

With dove season now open it is a tossup whether the hunter pots a bag limit in the brush or be hit by a potted driver on the road home.

Yellowstone national park is the largest in the United States.

In 1851 four boxes of Oregon apples sold in San Francisco for $500

Uncle Sam Says

There is something about Niagara Falls which symbolizes a strong, happy future.

If we had been here a year ago, all our thoughts would have been about backing our fighting men. Americans bought as many war bonds as possible to help win the war. Today, your Government is still selling United States Savings Bonds. To you and every June bride and bridegroom I say with all my heart: Now Back Your Future.

U. S. Treasury Department

Ticks are left handed thread very seldom right hand thread.

LOOKING AHEAD

BY GEORGE S. BENSON

President--Harding College

Searcy, Arkansas

Turn Back

Three easy steps will degrade a self-governing people to the level of dictatorship; (1) to planned economy (2) to government management (3) to government control. America has already taken the first step. War pushed central planning upon us, and people who like it are trying to make it permanent. If it can be made to stick, the nation will be ready for the second step—government management.

Disregarding all fancy and impractical theories, history proves that private enterprise made America the world's most powerful nation and gave us all the most comfortable lives that common people ever lived. Our only wise course is to turn back to free enterprise, but first we must get shed of planned economy. It is going to demand a series of strenuous treatments, for it is well advanced.

It Is No Dream

Disaster for the only remaining prosperous people on earth can not be avoided by any magic method like suddenly waking out of a bad dream. Things we have learned about what took personal liberty from the Germans, the Russians and the French, and more recently from the British, may seem like nightmares but they are very real and painful. Here in America we have a chance.

It is a hack illustration but very useful: When you want to get rid of darkness, you turn on light. When you want to get rid of ignorance, you admit truth. Incompetents scatter when they hear intelligent competition approaching. The first move against politics in business is to take the handcuffs off business itself. Set private enterprise free and it will protect itself.

Let Money Work

Laws made to take the profit out of war are now taking the pay out of work. Laws have rolled profits in some businesses so thin that there is nothing left to make but a loss. Ill-advised taxes on some commodities are so large that a fair price will not cover them. Industrial relations are so needled with politics that declining volume already is endangering jobs and wages.

People who are saving money are obliged often to let it lie idle in banks because there is no reasonably secure place to put it to work. Some invest in government bonds but the earnings of bonds come from taxes and serve not at all to put men to work and increase the national wealth. When private investors are afraid to trust enterprise, government management is at the door.

The Need of Today

Getting the United States out of its present entanglements with state socialism is one thing, keeping it out is another. For the long-range good of this nation, and of the world that looks to us for leadership, a ceaseless campaign of education is needed. The present need is to cut restraints on production and set American business on its feet again; by three measures:

(1) Change the tax structure to permit profits to operators and dividends to investors. (2) Balance the federal budget now, in prosperous times when, if ever, high taxes can be paid. (3) Improve industrial relations. In the long run, workers get paid in proportion to what they produce; and high wages, fairly earned, comprise the foundation of American prosperity.

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AQUAPLANE STAR SPILLS . . . Fred Kerwin races for a fall in trial run during preparation for the National Aquaplane races to be held off the California coast along Hermosa and Manhattan beaches the middle of August. Aquaplane races were largely discontinued during the war. Many returned servicemen acquired the art in Pacific waters and promise to give strong competition in the sport. It has been estimated that several thousand will compete in aquaplane races in various parts of the United States during 1946.

Forest Service Urges Fire Safety

A special safety campaign against man caused fires in California's fields and forests will be launched by protection agencies on the opening of the fall deer season September 23, according to announcement by the United States forest service. Cooperating in this all out drive against fires are the State Division of Forestry, State Division of Fish and Game, County fire wardens, sportsmen's clubs, large lumber companies and civic organizations.

Safety measures to be taken in the national forests of California open to hunting during the coming deer season as outlined by fire control chief Frank J. Jefferson of the United States forest service are: Checking stations will be maintained on main routes of travel into the federal forests, extra guards will be employed to visit camps and patrol roads and rails in hunting areas and airplane patrols will be made over some of the northern forests where the greatest congestion of hunters occurs.

We are requesting all hunters to register at checking stations, said Jefferson. Our men will gladly furnish camping information and a free leaflet on How to Care for Wild Meat. Registration will also help to locate hunters in case of emergency calls. The attention of sportsmen is called to forest service regulations which prohibit smoking in the national forests, except in camps, places of habitation and in special posted smoking areas. Hunting parties must also secure a campfire permit before building any fires on federal forest lands including fires in stoves burning any kind of fuel and stoves in auto trailers. These permits are issued free by forest service officers, automobile associations and other designated agents.

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Parents are exhorted to bring the children to the church school on Sunday and remain with them in family groups for the morning worship. The morning sermon topic will be "Christian Living in Today's World". The Sunday evening worship topic will be "The Compulsion of Christ."

AWARDED CONTRACT

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FOREST SERVICE URGES HUNTERS TO REGISTER

Supervisor Ellis of the Tahoe National Forest in Nevada City today stated that each year one or more hunters are either lost or injured while hunting oftentimes with serious consequences.

The forest service is often requested by relatives to contact hunters because of some emergncy. The forest service in a position to render valuable assistance in these emergencies providing we have information as to where the hunters plan to camp and hunt, continued Ellis. For this reason each hunter is urged to register on his way into the forest at which time he may secure the latest information on hunting, and permitted camping areas, campfire permits and maps.

Hunters planning on coming to the Tahoe National Forest may register at any one of the following locations:

USFS in Nevada City. White Cloud Campground, 13 miles east of Nevada City on the Tahoe Ukiah. North Bloomfield ranger station. Camptonville range station. Downieville ranger station. Sierraville ranger station. Lewis Mill guard station, 10 miles south of Loyalton. Boca guard station, northeast of Truckee. Lake Tahoe campground. Truckee ranger station, Big Bend ranger station on Highway 40, near Cisco. Blue Canyon guard station on Highway 40. Forest Hill ranger station.

OUTLOOK FOR DEER SEASON

Sportsmen planning to get their bucks the coming opening are advised by the National Aptomobile Club of the following reports on hunting possibilities.

Placer County's outlook for deer hunting is very good on the west side of the Sierras in Placer, Sierra and Nevada counties, but bucks seem scarce on the east side.

Lassen county has a normal deer population with some nice large bucks in the vicinity of Eagle Lake and the Bogard area. Tuolumne county has deer plentiful. Woods are dry and noisy. Usual places, such as Hulls Meodaws, Dodge Ridge, Dardanelles and Clarks Fork will be good hunting. San Diego county reports that deer look good in Cuyamaca and Lagun area. Orange county deer season will be fair with bucks in average condition. Nevada county has a plentiful deer population.

Merced county bucks are commencing to come out and run with the oes. Modoc county outlook for deer is or thousands of hunters and bucks will be hard to find. Fresno county has a scarcity of legal bucks, Season looks poor.

Lake Fishing Improves

Fishing in Millerton Lake and high back lakes of Fresno county is reported by National Automobile Club as improving.

Salmon Limits: Limits of salmon were reported by National Automobile Club as taken last week from Humboldt county's Cork Robin Island to Dungan Pools.

Rise To Flies: Some nice catches have been made in Grant Lake, Mono County, states National Automobile Club, successful ishermen have been fly fishing during evening hours.

Deer are more plentiful in Nevada County than for several years, Earl Hiscox, game warden, said yesterday.

Hiscox attributes the large numbers to several mild winters which have enabled the deer to increase with abundant feed, thinning out of mountain lions and other predators and stricter law enforcement, resulting in fewer killings of deer out of season.

The one buck limit in this area for this season will be strictly enforced, Hiscox said, along with a closer scrutiny on filling out tags.

But so far as hunters each getting their one buck when the season opens Monday, September 23, Hiscox thinks their chances were never better. Deer are especially plentiful in the lower foothill districts, such as Penn Valley and Pleasant Valley. There are lots of deer in the higher ranges around English Moutain and the Bowman Lake country."

The Tahoe National Forest Service here has announced that for the convenience of deer hunters, checking stations will be maintained at the following places: State Quarantine Station five miles east of Truckee, Truckee Ranger Station, Tahoe Public Camp ground, Sierraville Ranger Station, Downieville Ranger Station, Camptonville Ranger Station, North Bloomfield Ranger Station, White Cloud Guard Station, Forest Hill Ranger Station, Blue Canyon Ranger Station and Big Bend Ranger Station. The last two ore on Highway 40.

R. E. Dasmann, resources manager of the forest states that items to be checked for statistical and research purposes include weight, antler diameter, number of points (eyeguards not included) condition of antlers, whether hard or in velvet, and data as to the location where killed. Dasmann said that this information is used in the regulation of deer feed, stocking or areas, and studies of age, types and condtiion of deer in the national forests.

"Please mention also" said Dasmann, that all hunting is dependent upon wooded areas, which do not survive forest fires."

GOVERNOR HEADS COMMITTEE FOR HOMELESS BABES

With Governor Earl Warren as chairman of the advisory board, the Central Committee on Homeless Children, Native Sons and Native Daughters of the Golden West this week made its second annual appeal to the public for support of its 63 years old adoption service for homeless children.

Until last year this state licensed service was supported entirely within the ranks of the two pioneer organizations of California born men and women. However, the rapid war time growth of the state has greatly increased the number of homeless babies for whom foster parents must be found, according to Hazel B. Hansen, Past Grand President of the Native Daughters and chairman of the Central Committee's campaign. Furthemore the cost of caring for the children prior to their final adoption has trebled and even quadrupled, placing upon the committee a financial burden too great to be borne without general public support Mrs. Hansen further points out.

Thousands of Californians this week received sheets of homeless babies stamps which they are asked to purchase as a contribution to the worthwhile cause. The stamps, used on outgoing correspondence, also help focus public attention upon the need for finding suitable homes with foster parents for the scores of orphans, halp orphans and children from broken homes with the general committee is called upon to help.

DIVORCES

Ackerson—In Nevada City, Nevada County, September 16, 1946, Marjorie Lee Akerson against Richard E. Ackerson; complaint filed; cruelty.

Sonnenfelt—In Nevada City, September 17, Millie S. Sonnenfelt against Francis J. Sonnenfelt; complaint filed; cruelty.

FIRST AC LIGHTING SYSTEM

The first electric lighting installation in the United States using alternating current was made at Great Barrington, Mass in 1886 under the direction of George Westinghouse. Today this system is used to produce and distribute more than 95 per cent of the 225 billion kilowatt hours of electricity used annually in this country.

WANTS TO QUIT . . . Pres. Higinio Morinigo of Paraguay, who is reported to have asked permission from the armed forces to resign and leave the country, following upheavel in neighboring Bolivia.

SPORTSMEN TURN FROM FISH POLES TO RIFLES

Game Warden Earl Hiscox said yesterday that sportsmen generally are turning from the rod to the gun and are polishing their rifles and laying in ammunition for the opening of deer season Monday.

He reported however that a few fishermen had recently been successful in deep trolling in Lake Spaulding and in Fuller Lake. Fly fishing he said was good on the North Yuba River above Downieville and upon its tributaries. He stated that the rain having killed off much insect life should make fishing for the next few days especially good.

Frank Delaney Tahoe forest ranger at Downieville reports winds preceeding the rain Sunday and Monday, made fishing almost impossible.

FARM MARKET

The Farm Market, situated on the Nevada City-Grass Valley Highway, will open hereafter on Wednesdays and Saturdays instead of Tuesdays and Saturdays. This announcement was made yesterday by the committee in charge.

An addition to the market of several new stalls for farmers who sell their produce there for a small fee was recently completed.

Alpha Store Employees Honor Fred F. Cassidy

Mr. and Mrs. Fred F. Cassidy were honored by the Alpha Stores staff with a dinner at Deer Creek Inn last Monday evening. Mr. Cassidy for 40 years owner and general manager of Alpha Stores Ltd. has recently sold his interests to the Alpha Hardware Company.

A beautiful "memory book" was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Cassidy in which all Alpha employes wrote a message to their "boss." The book was presented by C. R. Murchie, manager of the store.

Signing the book were C. R. Murchie, Richard Polglase, Robert Hawkins, Elmer Durbin, Courtland Wright, Harry Fields, Alfred Fontana, Fred E. Fontana, Virginia Ghidotti, Theresa Colombo, Esther Kaupilla and Amy Davies. Mrs. Cassidy responded by thanking his hosts for long and faithful service.

Former U. S. Pilot and Bride Will Be Honored

Mr. and Mrs. Pershing Lee, recently married, will be guests of honor Sunday at reception planned in Bret Harte Inn beginning at 9 p. m.

Lee is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hing Lee of East Main Street, Grass Valley and his bride is the former Miss Jennie Yee a student in Arizona State College. They were married September 8th in Hotel Westward Ho of Phoenix, Ariz. Since his discharge from the army Lee has been employed as a ball mill operator at the Brunswick Mine.

Before the United States entered the late war, Lee completed his training as a pilot and fought against the Japanese in China. Upon his return to the United States he entered the army air forces.

ENROLLMENT IN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL 469

A new record in enrollment was announced yesterday by Lloyd Geist, principal of the Nevada City Elementary School with 469 pupils registered and 17 teachers employed.

The largest class is the second graders with 86 pupils, while primary class numbers 67.

Notice to Taxpayers

Taxes of the City of Nevada for the year 1946 are now due and payable. If not paid before 5 P. M. on Monday, October 14, 1946 a penalty of ten per cent will be added. Office hours: 8:00 A. M. to 5:00 P. M.; 8:00 A. M. to 12:00 Noon on Saturdays.

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UNCLE SAM'S GENEROUS HAND ALWAYS BITTEN

By Ralph H. Taylor

Once again Uncle Sam is learning (as he learned after World War I) that when he extends a generous his hand filled with gifts to world his hand suffers the painful bite of ingratitude. Perhaps "learning" is too hopeful a term, and we should say Uncle Sam is having a second "experience" of this unpleasant business; for only the future will show whether he has at last learned the lesson that lavish giving away of American money and goods neither gains foreign friendships nor promotes world peace.

Consider America's role in the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration. Hardly second to the prodigious emergency production of American farmers for war has been the forced production for the feeding of millions in the post war famine crisis. The U. S. government has appropriated two billion, seven hundred million dollars for UNRRAs direct use. Millions more have been privately donated by the sympathetic American public.

Everyone who had a part in this—the farmers who produced the food the workers who precessed it, the waterfront workers who loaded it on ships, the taxpayers who assumed the addition to the already staggering public debt, the individuals who contributed to relief funds—is glad because of the good accomplished. Hope has supplanted despair in homes throughout Europe; children are healthy and thriving who had our aid not been forthcoming would be dead of malnutrition and disease.

And YET—

Herbert Hoover, President Truman's special relief representative, reports that the UNRRA is serving as a major support for the military machine which backs the arrogance of Tito's Yugoslavian dictatorship.

"We spent perhaps 300 million dollars on Yugoslavia as a gift in agricultural implements and food" Hoover said recently. "Yet the fact we contributed anything to the UNRRA or to them is unknown to anyone in Yugoslavia.

"Tito has an army of 750,000 men out of a population of 14 million. These men should be home farming and rehabilitating the nation.

"Instead(dirgctly or indirectly, UNRRA is supporting Tito's army."

This sort of thing was not the intention of the American people.

The blunt charge that American donated food has been used by puppet governments under Soviet Russia's domination to stir up hatred of this country has been made by an American churchman, Archbishop Richard J. Cushing of Massassachasetts.

"In many of the puppet countries dominated by the soviet the distribution of food has been so managed as to arouse the hatred of those we have befriended," he declared publicly. "In these countries authorized officials have not distributed the American food guided by the dictators of Christian charity, but have instead, distributed it according to the dictates of Soviet policy."

Whatever evil has come through post war U. S. generosity cannot be recalled. Neither, fortnuately can the immense good that has resulted be cancelled out.

As to the good our task appears largely accomplished. Hoover whose views are soundly based on a personal, 52,000 mile world tour, has told us the word famine is about over so far as the European sector is concerned.

It is to be hoped, therefore, that the U. S. State Department will stick by its recent decision not to ask for further funds for the UNRRA. Funds that agency now has will run out next year. By that time, the war will be two years behind us—and nations of the world, including those with the "gimme" attitude toward Uncle Sam shall have had every reasonable opportunity and ample time for recovery to the extent of meeting their own problems. Our responsibility will be at an end.

Yet it may be expected (if history of US relations with the world be heeded) that at least some of the countries that are American beneficiaries will want to continue drawing on American bounty and will find pretexts for their unreasonable expectancies and will put on pressure to that end.

When we refuse them—as we surely should—we will have in all likelihood more tastes of bitter ingratitude.

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Appeal For Scout Funds Coming

Announcement was made today by G. E. Kreatz general sport appeal chairman that plans are progressing for the Tahoe area boy scout council appeal for funds, which opens officially on October 12 and will continue until November 12. Community appeal chairmen selected thus far are Ed Franz, Nevada City, L. C. Paulson, Roseville, Ricklin, chairman for Lincoln to be selected, John H. Raffette, Auburn, Chester Gibbs for Colfax and William Stimson for Grass Valley. Contacts are being made at meetings by both Kreatz and Robert H. Frank, scout executive who is serving as campaign director. The objective amount to be raised in the area as one council—one budget—is $13,950 and will make possible the employing of additional professional scout leadership to enrich the present program and organization and also work more closely with present and additional volunteer leaders and sponsoring institutions in developing new packs, troops and senior units.

Things have now progressed to the point that gray bread is being sold on the black market.—Curior, Bristol, Pa.

Each morning as I carefully spread a thin film of 66 cent butter on my undersized off color toast, I dutifully remind myself that America is eating more than it ever did before.—Saturday News, Lewisburgh, Pa.

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Veterans' SERVICE BUREAU

EDITOR'S NOTE: This newspaper, through special arrangement with the Washington Bureau of Western Newspaper Union at 1616 Eye Street, N. W., Washington, D. C., is able to bring readers this weekly column on problems of the veteran and serviceman and his family. Questions may be addressed to the above Bureau and they will be answered in a subsequent column. No replies can be made direct by mail, but only in the column which will appear in this newspaper regularly.

Factors That Determine Veteran's Pension Rate

Where veterans of World War II have a disability incurred in or aggravated by service in the armed forces, there is no set disability pension he may receive, the amount being determined by the degree of disability upon examination by the Veterans' administration.

The rates of pension range from $11.50 per month for a disability of a degree of 10 per cent to $115 a month for total disability and where certain specific disabilities occur, such as a loss of hands or legs, or blindness, or combinations of disabilities, the amount payable may be as high as $265 per month. These rates are determined, as near as possible upon the average impairment of earning capacity.

It must be remembered, and particularly in cases of World War I veterans, where application is made for disability pension, not service-connected, that these pensions are not payable if the disability is the result of the veteran's own willful misconduct or vicious habits. Also where total disability is not service-connected, pension is not payable to the veteran where the annual income is $1,000 if unmarried, or if it exceeds $2,500 if he is married.

Many times, the experience shows, according to the Veterans' administration, World War I veterans applying for pensions years after World War I for non-service-connected disability are turned down because the Veterans' administration decides the disability is due to the "willful misconduct or vicious habits" of the veterans.

Questions and Answers

Q. My son has been in the army for 22 months and spent 16 months in England, France, Belgium and is now in Germany. He is with the 2242 quartermaster truck company. Does the war department have any word when this company will be shipped home?—Mrs. H. N., Plankington, N. D.

A. As of February 15 this outfit was in Ausbach, Germany, and the war department has no word on when it will be returned to this country.

Q. My son, who is in Japan, made out his insurance papers to me before he went overseas. I have been married since that time. Do I have to have my name changed on the policy?—Mrs. J. W., Fort Bragg, Calif.

A. The Veterans' administration says it would not make much difference, but would probably save some time in the event the insurance became payable. The veteran must make application to his commanding officer to change the name of the beneficiary.

Q. Is a widow of a World War I veteran who is elderly and in poor health, eligible for a pension if she has an income of $100 a month?—Mrs. W. Mc., Arlington, Mass.

A. If death was service-connected, yes, she is entitled to a pension. If not service-connected, she is not entitled if her income is $1,000 or more annually, if she has no children. I would ask your nearest Veterans' administration office, however, because the law says that certain items are not considered income and determination as to whether the claimant's income exceeds the respective amount is made by the Veterans' administration.

Q. My son was given an honorable discharge in May 1945. I wish to know if he should draw a pension as he was wounded in Belgium. He was with Patton's 3rd army. He is a member of the American Legion at Fayette, Ala., Post No. 127, but as yet has not even been examined for a pension. No one knows about the nervous disposition he has except his parents. —Mrs. E. M., Fayette, Ala.

A. From your letter, I would say your son most certainly is entitled to a disability rating, but he must apply to the Veterans' administration for an examination for determination of the amount. Apply immediately to your nearest office of the Veterans' administration for this examination.

Q. My boy died in the army in France. I want to know how I can get the large flag they put over the casket to bury them. I know of some mothers who have received them. I would thank you if you can tell me. — Broken-hearted mother, Brownsville, Tenn.

A. Relatives or next of kin of deceased veterans, who died in service, may receive a United States flag by application to the postmaster at any county seat post office. Application may be made on Veterans' administration form 2008 available at local office.

"Hoodlum Saint" is Movie at Broadway Theater Fri., Sat.

Playing at the Broadway Theater Friday and Saturday is "Hoodlum Saint", a romantic drama starring William Powell and Esther Williams.

William Powell plays the part of a newspaper man, who, returning from the first World War finds his old job gone and involves himself in a complicated situation, which through a lucky chain of circumstances leads him to a highly-paid but precarious job in the publishing business.

He weathers the difficulties imposed upon him by two friendly college acquaintances, fights his way through the 1929 crash and finally reaches an interesting solution to the problems of life with Esther Williams.

Armeline Houghton Weds Ernest Beckerleg

Armeline Jewell Houghton and Ernest Eric Beckerleg were married in a double ring ceremony Sunday September 15th in the Methodist Church here. The pastor, Rev. Jesse Rudkin read the marriage service.

Mrs. Camille Cornish played the organ prelude and accompanied Mrs. Dorothy Simmons, who sang Because and At Dawning.

The bride wore a silver gray dressmaker suit trimmed with silver buttons, with black accessories. Her hat was feathers in a powder blue shade. She carried a bouquet of white orchids and bouvardia. Bridesmaids were Miss June Beckerleg, sister of the bridegroom, and Miss Marcia Claudank of Sacramento. Conrad Praetzel of San Rafael, Marin County, served as best man. Albert Keeny, Robert Hawkins and Gordon Leary were ushers.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in Serra Hall. Miss June Beckerleg caught the bride's bouquet. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie H. Osborne of this city, and her husband, former captain in the Army and son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beckerleg. He is a graduate of the Grass Valley Schools, of the University of California and the California Institute of Technology.

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The increase brings the retail prices of oranges to 12 1-2 cents per pound. The former ceiling price was 12 cents.

The new prices for oranges delivered to wholesalers will be $6.49 per box in zone 1 and $6.24 in zone 2. No increase was provided for zone 3 including all of California south of zone 2.

The freight increase was effected to bring relief to wholesalers who were caught in what was described as a squeeze brought about by car shortages for rail shipments. The wholesalers in the central California were forced to resort to truck hauls and the differential in rates for this type of transportation cut into the allowable markups for the commodity.

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MEAT FLAVORED SOUPS ADD MUCH TO AUTUMN MEALS

An easy way to reconvert summer meals to match fall appetites is to serve delicious hot soup. This may be the main dish for lunch of supper, or an opening course at dinner.

Hot soup stimulates the appetite (if it needs stiumulating) and at the same time is a nourishing dish in itself. Of course, the different varieties of soups are many in number—ranging all the way from a clear, flavorful broth to a thick soup that is almost a whole meal. The soup to be served should be chosen, therefor with the rest of the menu in mind.

In any case a soup made with meat generally rates highest in flavor and satisfaction. A soup bane may be simmered in water and vegetables added; or the broth from a simmered cut of meat may be used. Another suggestion is to add small pieces of left over meat to a vegetable soup.

The two recipes given below are both for hearty soups, but they are made quite differently. The first takes a long time to cook; it may be started in the morning if desired, then the vegetables added and the soup finished later. The potatoe soup is an old favorite and requires a comparativevly short time to cook. A zestful flavor is provided by the bits of crisp bacon that are floated on the soup when it is served.

Navy Bean Soup

1 cup navy beans
2 pounds beef brisket
2 quarts water
1 tablespoon salt
parsley leaves, celery leaves
1 cup chopped celery
3 medium onions
3 cups tomatoes (or 1 No. 2 1-2 can)

Wash and soak beans overnight. Cover meat with water and bring to a boil. Skim, add salt, drained beans, parsley and celery leaves which have been tied in a bunch. Simmer for 2 hours. Add celery, sliced onions and tomatoes. Continue cooking until beans are tender. The meat may be sliced and served with soup at a later meal. Serves 8.

Old Fashioned Potato Soup

8 slices bacon
4 medium sized potatoes
1 large onion
1-2 cup celery
1 1-4 cups water
3 cups top milk
3 teaspoons salt
1-4 teaspoon pepper
2 tablespoons chopped parsley

Cut bacon into small pieces and cook until crisp. Peel potatoes and onion and clean celery. Dice vegetables. Add water and cook until done. Rice vegetables and return to the water in which they were cooked. Add milk and seasonings and reheat. Just beore serving, flaot parsley and crisp bacon on soup. Serves six.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

Christian Science Society of Nevada City holds services every Sunday in their church, 114 Boulder St. at 11 o'clock. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. A Wednesday evening tstimnoial meeting is held on the first Wednesday of each month at 8 o'clock. Our reading room is located in the church edifice and is open Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays holidays excepted, from 2 to 4 p. m. The public is invited to attend our services and vsiit the reading room.

"Matter" is the subject of the Christian Science lesson-sermon for Sunday, September 22, with the golden text from Psalms: "Tremble thou earth at the presence of the Lord at the presence of the Good of Jacob" (115:7).

The following citations are from the sermon:

Psalms 46.6. "The heathen raged, the kingdoms were moved: he uttered his voice the earth melted."

"Science and health with key to the scriptures" by Mark Baker Eddy: "He uttered his voice, the earth melted.' This scripture indicates that all matter will disappear before the supramcy of spirit" p. 97.

ALMOST AN INCH OF RAIN

Rain began falling shortly after midnight Monday and by daylight a precipitation of .60 inches was measured by the Nevada City Weather Bureau. There was a rain on July 25th of .36 inches, making the total for the season here .96 inches.

The rain resumed late yesterday afternoon but cleared before nightfall.

Brown kelp plants off the Pacific Coast often grow as largeas redwood trees.

Mauno Loa in the Hawaiian Islands is 144 times as large as Mount Vesuvius.

In 1889 California led the nation in wheat production.

CALL FOR BIDS

The Board of Trustees of the Nevada City Unified School District invites submission of bids for transparting approximately eight pupils from a point on the Cement Hill Road near the Leslie J. Orzalli residence to Nevada City during the morning of each school day and to return from Nevada City to the same point each afternoon; the bidders to be ready to enter into an agreement as an independent contractor, to furnish a properly qualified driver and a vehicle which conforms to the State requirements and to carry the necessary insurance coverage; with the provision that each day that the contractor fails to make two round trips per school day he shall forfeit a sum equal to 1/150th of his total accepted bid. Such contractor shall deliver his passengers to the Nevada City Elementary School not later than 8:30 A. M. of each school day and shall be prepared to leave the school with the pupils at approximately 3:30 P. M. of each school day. Bids will be opened at a special meeting of the Board to be held Friday Evening, September 27, 1946 at 8:00 P. M. The Board of Trustees reserves the right to accept or reject any bids.

Publication dates: September 12, 1946 and September 19, 1946.

By order of
BOARD OF TRUSTEES, NEVADA CITY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT.
ALBERT S. BATES, President.
MILES D. COUGHLIN, Secretary.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS DIVISION OF ARCHITECTURE

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at the office of the Division of Architecture, Public Works Building, 12th and "N" Streets, Sacramento, California, up to 2:00 P. M. Tuesday, September 24, 1946, said bids thereafter on said day to be publicly opened and read for Twelve Man Barracks, Division of Forestry, Higgins Corners, Nevada County, California, in accordance with plans and specifications therefor.

The Barracks is one story wood frame, concrete floor, composition shingle roof, wood shash, and contains approximately 2115 sq. ft. of floor area.

Authority Notice— Approval for this construction was granted by the Civilian Production Administration, with Serial 9-1-994.

Prevailing Wage Scale: In accordance with the provisions of Section 1770 of the Labor Code, the Department of Public Works has ascertained the general prevailing rate of wages applicable to the work to be done to be as follows:

NEVADA COUNTY

	Hourly Rate
Carpenters	$1.75
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Electric Workers	1.875
Glass Workers	1.375
Laborers Building	1.15
Lathers	1.60
Painters (Brush)	1.60
Plasterers	1.875
Plasterers Hod Carriers	1.25
Plumbers	1.875
Power Equipment Operators	
Cement Mixers—Up to one Cu. Yd.	1.60
Trenching Machine	2.00
Roofers	1.75
Sheet Metal Workers	1.75
Any classification omitted herein not less than	1.15

Overtime—One and one half times the above rates.

The rates of wages, including overtime, holiday or Sunday rates, above specified are subject to the effect, if applicable hereto, of executive orders of the President of the United States and to any modification thereof and to any and all lawful orders of the President or any other authorized Federal Officer or agency, in so far as the same may be applicable to this contract. In case of any inconsistency the rates fixed by any such applicable Federal Order, whether higher or lower, shall control.

Apprentices may be employed provided they are properly indentured to the Contractor in full compliance with the provisions of Section 1777.5 of the Labor Code.

Plans and specifications for examination are on file in the office of the Division of Architecture, Public Works Building, Sacramento, and Room 803 State Office Building, Los Angeles, and at the principal California Cities Builders' Exchange Offices.

Contractors who are desirous of securing plans, specifications, and proposal forms for the purpose of preparing and submitting a proposal for this work may do so subject to certain conditions hereinafter stated by requesting same in writing from the Division of Architecture, Public Works Building, Sacramento.

No bid will be considered unless it is made on a blank form urnished by the Division of Architecture, and is made in accordance with the provisions of the Proposal Requirements and Conditions set forth under Section 1 of the Standard Specifications. Each bidder must be licensed and also prequalified as required by law. (See said Proposal Requirements and Conditions.)

The Department of Public Works reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive any informality in any bid received.

No bidder may withdraw his bid for a period of thirty (30) days after the time set for opening thereof.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS
DIVISION OF ARCHITECTURE
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Sept. 12, 20.

LOGGERS GET EXTRA SUGAR

In order to clarify the OPA regulations providing for special allotments of sugar for isolated loggers, A. B. Howley, sugar rationing officer of the narthern California district office of OPA has issu the following explanation.

A recent amendment provides that isolated group IV institutional users such as cookhouses feeding loggers, may apply to the district offices of OPA for a special allotment of sugar in order to meet the nutritional requirements of loggers.

The amount of sugar granted is based on a monthly allowance per person established by the national office of OPA.

Oo special ration of sugar can be obtained to individual loggers.

The OPA reports the United Press has lropped dried octopus from the list of foods remainig under ceiling prices. As one who dearly loves his dried octopus we wondered when the OPA was going to get around to this.

If you must do a lot of drinking at football games this fall don't drive an automobile the National Conservation Bureau warns. Drinking either by the driver of pedestrian played a part in 1 out of 4 fatal traffic accidents. Under the influence of alcohol a more serious violation—was reported for 7 per cent of drivers in rural fatal accidents and 4 per cent of drivers in urban accidents.

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COOKING QUEEN . . . Dorothea Fagnano, 15, Yonkers, N. Y., schoolgirl, samples some of her own cookies following her selection as cooking queen. She disclosed that she now is working on a new recipe for making bread without flour—a tall order for a teen-ager, but not too hard for Dorothea, who recently captured first prize in a competition which attracted entrants from 512 cities. Miss Fagnano is experimenting with potato flour as a basic ingredient for her new flourless bread.

Higher Ceilings Are Announced By OPA

Retail ceiling prices of refined sugar will increase two cents a pound in the near future as the result of increases in the maximum prices of direct consumption cane and beet sugar one and one cents a pound and of raw cane sugar 1.37 cents a lb. OPA officials announced today.

The resultant increases in retail sugar prices are expected to occur after wholesalers and retailers sell out present inventories. The increases in maximum prices of direct consumption sugar take effect on September 18.

Retail prices for dry edible beans will be increased three cents a pound as a result of raises in price on the wholesale level. The new maximum fob prices for such beans exceed those announced in March, by $1 a hundred pounds for baby lima and $1.50 a hundred pounds for all other varieties. Processed dry edible beans are those which have been cleaned but are uncooked.

The OPA revealed new consumer prices of flour at retail approximately one to two cents higher per five pound package.

The OPA also announced that work gloves will have a higher ceiling price as the result of a raise in the price of cotton knitted and woven fabrics.

STOPPER LAMP LIGHTED 1893

To demonstrate the advantages of alternating current in transmitting electricity, George Westinghouse who was born a hundred years ago this year, contracted to light Chicago's 1893 world's fair. But rival interests controlled the patents on the only practical lamp available. Apparently stymied and with less than a year to go. Westinghouse intented a stopper lamp, built a factory to produce it and completed the lighting task at a profit even though his bid had been a million dollars below that of his rivals.

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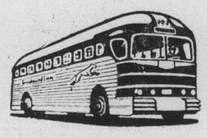
PACIFIC  **GREYHOUND LINES**

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ROMA WINE BURGUNDY AND CLARET	1/2 Gallon	$1.44
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Downieville survived one of the worst fire scares in its history Tuesday fhen it was caught at 9 a. m. with one house slowly burning to the ground, two other houses catching fire nearby and flaming bits of paper and wood being blown all over town by a powerful east wind, while the city reservoir was drained empty.

The whole town, the fire department and forest service crews, turned out to combat the fire which destroyed completely the Cecil McAlister house on upper Main Street, near the Old Brewery.

The onset of the flames, caused by a chimney spark landing on the roof, was so sudden that the McAlisters and their neighbors were unable to rescue any substantial quantity of clothing, household goods or furniture.

The McAlister house, one of the oldest in Downieville, burnt slowly, once the fire started and the flames were not extinguished until 11 a. m. Efforts of volunteer firemen were hampered by the inadequate water supply. Pressure was too low for effective fire fighting and at the termination of the fire, the city reservoir already dangerously low, was empty.

Forest service employees who aided in combating the fire were from the Downieville ranger station. Flaming fragments blown about by the east wind set fire to the lawn in front of St. Charles Hotel, as well as starting small fires in two neighboring buildings.

The McAlister family, with three small boys, lost almost all of their household belongings.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Deeble who have been spending the summer with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Richards, the latter Mrs. Deeble's sister, left Monday for San Francisco where they will spend a week, returning the latter part of this week to this city.

Supervisor Guerdon Ellis of the Tahoe National Forest is in San Francisco on business.

Miss Valorey Ansel, superintendent of the elementary schools, San Anselmo and well known here, is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. E. Cooney of Grass Valley. Miss Ansel was a visitor of Mrs. Elsie Presley of this city yesterday also.

Mr. and Mrs. George Neagle, well known former residents, are here from Oakland visiting their niece, Mrs. Al Sommers. Mr. Sommers, who has been very ill, is now well on the road to recovery.

Mrs. Katherine Celio of Santa Clara and her daughter of Los Angeles, are spending a few days at their home in this city.

Al Murphy of Montezuma Hill is spending a few days here.

Max Elftman of San Mateo; one of the delegation of 40 Masons to attend the festivities in Grass Valley Saturday and Sunday, visited his niece, Mrs. Dorothy M. Waggoner, while here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Scheemer of the Plaza Grocery, and the latter's sister, Mrs. Libbie Shields of the Style Shop, who spent a week in Los Angeles have returned.

Forest B. Risley, Nevada City merchant, was taken to the Miners Hospital yesterday where he is reported seriously ill. He was taken by the Holmes Ambulance Service of this city.

Mrs. George W. Parshall of Coalinga who will be remembered as Mrs. George Peters of this city, is spending a few days at the National Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs .E. G. Bickel, family and nurse have gone to Sacramento for a few days.

Norman Edwards of Los Angeles, well known former resident has been the guest of relatives, Mrs. Chrsitine Widder, Mrs. Kate Coombs, Mrs. Lon Steele and Mrs. Frank Hammon in Grass Valley for the past week, following eight weeks spent at Brockway. Mr. Edwards, who is a well known artist in Los Angeles, for the past two years has done the display work at Bullock's department store. He also has a large private class in art, but manages to make at least a yearly trip to this city to renew old friendships.

Mrs. Grace Carpenter, who is in charge of the Native Daughters Home in San Francisco, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. E. Wright at the National Hotel. Mrs. Carpenter, who has numerous friends here, has been generally entertained during her 10 days' visit.

Rev. and Mrs. David Ralston came over from Newcastle recently to spend the day visiting friends.

H. V. Eaton of Columbia Hill was a visitor here recently.

NAOMI CIRCLE TO MEET AT MRS. DUNN'S HOME

The regular meeting of Naomi Circle of Grass Valley will be held today, at 12:30 p. m. with a pot luck lunch at the home of Mrs. Bessie Dunn.

Mrs. Dunn and Mrs. Ashing will be hostess for the day. All members are asked to be present. Mrs. Esther Hoyt will be chairman in charge of the meeting.

PATRIOTIC PROGRAM

Laurel Parlor, Native Daughters of the Golden West on last evening presented a patriotic program in observance of Constitution Day and Admission Day.

Mrs. Dorothy Schuman, president, was in charge of the evening's entertainment. There was a large attendance. Games and refreshments followed the program.

Musical Program Given by Pupils of Franz Luschen

Mr. and Mrs. Franz Luschen of this city presented an unusually interesting musical program and social held by the Latter Day Saints in their church at Grass Valley.

A number of young people of exceptional talent were heard in both vocal and instrumental selections. Among the selections offered were a vocal solo by Deanna Carter entitled "I Am Always Chasing Rainbows", a piano solo by Dorothy Smart, a violin solo by Sandra Pease, a trumpet solo by Madge Nelson, a piano selection by Maxine Ivey, a violin solo by Norma Schofield, and a vocal solo by Leland Anderson.

Luschen accompanied several of the students on the cello. Dancing and refreshments followed the evening's program.

FIRST WOMAN CLERK . . . Mrs. Frances E. Dustin, Dexter, Me., who has become the first woman clerk to enter the senate chamber during a session. Intensely jealous of its members' prerogatives, senate previously barred women.

EATING CHAMP . . . Here's a man who could eat you out of "house and home." Frank Juliano, of Worcester, Mass., attracted widespread attention by eating at one sitting 50 meat balls, two quarts of sauce, and drinking 17 beers plus 3 meals.

FOR TAXI STOLEN

A new 1946 Ford taxi, left in Main Street with engine running while the driver looked for a fare in the Holbrooke Hotel Sunday was stolen. Grass Valley police state that the car is still missing.

More than 2200 different makes of automobiles have been manufactured in the United States since the birth of the industry.

WORK BEGUN ON NEW ROAD INTO TIMBERED AREA

The Tahoe National Forest has announced it is undertaking a new road project extending from Calida Lumber Company's sawmill and plant at Brandy City, Sierra County, five miles into the adjacent virgin forest.

Marvin Shock, Tahoe Forest engineer, is in charge of the preliminary work. The projected road will start October 1st. Two miles of the new road, it is contemplated will be completed this year. Approximately 25 men will be employed in road building. Charles Smith of the Tahoe Forest will be in charge of the camp. The timber area is located in the Canyon Creek watershed.

TRINITY EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Rector, Rev. Angus Miller, 226 Nevada Street. Telephone 445. Senior Warden B. Hall, Junior Warden W. Home. Organist Mrs. F. H. Anderson, Choir Director Mrs. C. A. Libbey, Sunda school supirtendent Miss E. Hecker.

8 a. m. Holy communion. 9:55 a. m. Sunday school. 11 a. m. morning prayer and sermon. Sermon subject: "Power with God."

Monday—Monster novelity whist drive. Something new. Tour across the U. S. A. Whist only. No score pads(no pencils, lunch following. Parish hall back of Trinity Episcopal Church. 8 o'clock p. m. Good prizes. Proceeds toward vestry sinking fund. Come and have a good time. Once you play this kind of whist you will want to play nothing else. Choir practice 7:30 p. m. in the parish hall.

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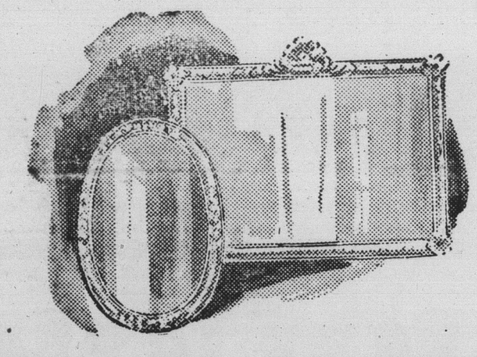

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